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Mr. Bill Ryan US EPA Region X 1200 Sixth Avenue – ECL-113 Seattle, WA 98101

Re: March 2008 Monthly Report

Dear Mr. Ryan:

This letter serves as the monthly progress report for March 2008, in accordance with Section X, Paragraph 29 of the RD/RA Consent Decree for the Tronox site, in Soda Springs, Idaho.

## March Activities

The calcine cap and landfill facilities were inaccessible in March due to winter conditions, however, the gates were closed and locked and the fences are in good condition. The 10-acre pond was inspected and the water level was measured. The 10-acre pond currently contains about 14 inches of water, measured at the south end of the pond. The snow fences have been successful at keeping the pond level relatively unchanged over the past two months of winter.

In March, the letter documenting the reduction of the detection and reporting limits for arsenic in water monitoring samples was transmitted to you. This letter completed the requirements of Task 3.4 and the Task 4.4 deliverable of the draft Addendum 1 to the Statement of Work of Remedial Design/Remedial Action Consent Decree for Kerr-McGee Superfund Site (Addendum 1).

## April/May 2008 Activities

During the months of April and May, Tronox will continue to monitor the cap, landfill and the 10-acre pond, weather permitting. In April, Tronox will receive and sign the final Addendum 1 to the SOW from EPA. Tronox will initiate work towards completion of the work plan that will evaluate the remedy and the existing monitoring well network. The current projected deliverable date for the draft work plan will be in May. During May, the first round of ground and surface water sampling will also be completed.

No community relation activities are planned for this period.



## Problems or Delays

No delays are expected.

If you have any questions about the work or additional information is required with regards to the work described above, please contact me at (208) 547-3331, extension 230.

Sincerely,

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